Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1.(currently amended) A device for the storage and searching of textual and graphical information in electronic form, ~~the~~ said device comprising a case (1), a display means (9), a user interface means (3), an operating means (11), a means for storage (5) of ~~the~~ said information, a means of selecting information to be displayed according to the user's instructions, ~~characterized in that it has~~ and a multiplexed address bus (10).

2. (currently amended) A device according to Claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein the operating means (11) is an eight-bit processor combined with an IPP (Intelligent Programmable Peripheral).

3. (currently amended) A device according to Claim 2, ~~characterized in that it has~~ wherein the multiplexed address bus is a type I2C internal communication bus (10).

4. (currently amended) A device according to any one of the Claims 1 to 3, wherein ~~characterized in that~~ the storage means (5) is a memory card (5) that can be removed from case (1).

5. (currently amended) A device according to Claim 3, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein the storage means (5) comprises memory components (22) for storing textual and graphical information that can be consulted by the user, a

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memory component (23) serving as memory for identification and personalization of the ~~memory card~~ storage means (5), a decoder component (24), intended for selecting the ~~memories,~~ three eight-bit I2C bus~~, eight-bit~~ decoder components (25) for addressing the memory components (22), and a bus decoder component (26) adapted for transferring the stored information read in memory components (22) to the I2C bus (10).

6. (currently amended) A device according to Claim 1, ~~characterized in that it has~~ further comprising a printer port (6).

7. (currently amended) A device according to Claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein the textual information is stored in the form of text only ~~(ASCII format)~~.

8. (cancelled)

9. (new) A device for the storage and searching of textual and graphical information in electronic form comprising:

a case;

a display mounted within the case;

a user interface device mounted within the case;

a processor connected to the display and user interface device

a removable memory, removably connected to the processor, that stores the textual and graphical information;

a program for selecting the textual and graphical

information stored in the removable memory that is to be

displayed according to a user's instructions; and

a multiplexed address bus connected between the removable

memory and the processor for transmitting the selected

information between the removable memory and the processor.

10. (new) The device according to Claim 9, wherein

the removable memory comprises:

first memory components that store textual and graphical

information that can be consulted by the user;

second memory components that store identification and

personalization information to identify and personal the

removable memory;

a decoder component that selects one of the first and

second memory components;

three eight-bit bus decoder components for addressing the

first memory components; and

a bus decoder component for transferring the stored

information read in the first memory components to the

multiplexed address bus for transmission to the processor.